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WELCOME TO

Rev. Father C. F. Wigglesworth who has
taken over the duties of chaplain at St. Michael's.
Father Wigglesworth succeeds Father E. Lacey
who has taken up new duties at Wainfleet, Ont.



As is customary each year, the Alumnae
Association will again send tokens of remem-
brance to those who are ill at Christmas. You
can facilitate this effort by notifying the Exe-
cutive of any member that you know to be ill,
or contacting Grace Murphy in the Residence
office.



FATHER STONE, C.S.P.
has resumed his talks on
SANCTIFYING GRACE
at the Graduate Nurses' Meetings
held at

THE CONVENT OF THE CENACLE
318 Lawrence Avenue East

NOTICE

THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS
will be offered for the deceased members
of the Alumnae
on **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10th**
in the **CHAPEL**, at 8:00 a.m.
Celebrant — Rev. W. Smith



FOUND

Navy blue partially knitted sweater, wool
and knitting equipment left after Alumnae Meet-
ing. Owner please claim at Residence office.

ATTENTION, PLEASE

All Alumnae members who would be in-
terested in a Retreat to be held in January
please contact Sister Mary Kathleen's office.
Sister is willing to make all arrangements,
but would like to know the number who
would be interested.

ALUMMAE MEETING

The June meeting of St. Michael's Hospital Alumnae was held on June 8, in the Assembly Hall of the hospital. Miss Lois Huck presiding.

The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer's report was given by Miss Doreen Murphy: General Fund, \$2,082.07; and Scholarship Fund, \$1,556.63.

Sister Superior congratulated the new president, Miss Lois Huck, and welcomed the new graduates. She expressed the wish they would continue to attend the meetings regularly. Sister Louise also welcomed the new graduates.

There followed a delightful programme by the Cathedral Boys' Choir.

Miss Donovan, the corresponding secretary, read the correspondence.

Miss Murphy for Miss K. Meagher, read a report on the R. N. A. O. Convention.

Mrs. Romano on the Plan for Hospital Care stated that commencing July 1 the rate would be increased as follows:

Single Public Ward, \$9.00 per year or \$18.00 per family.

Single Semi Private, \$12.00 per year, or \$24.00 per family.

Miss Dennis expressed thanks to the alumnae for the scholarship for post graduate study which she had been awarded. On behalf of the graduating class she also expressed gratitude for the Graduation Dance which was to take place on June 18th.

Miss Bart reported on the Scholarship tea the proceeds of which were \$396.55.

New Business

Moved by Mrs. Martin, seconded by Miss Loftus, that \$50.00 be sent to Msgr. Ronan in appreciation of the boys' singing and as a donation towards the Cathedral Choir School. Carried.

Discussion followed regarding the alumnae scholarships. Sister Vincentia moved that the scholarship be made \$500.00 for the student nurse in the graduating class. It was seconded by Mrs. La Fontaine, voted on and carried.

Discussion followed regarding the application of Miss Bacon for an alumnae scholarship for post graduate study in the operating room at St. Michael's Hospital. Moved by Miss Murphy, seconded by Miss Bennet, that Miss Bacon be awarded \$50.00 and the privilege of borrowing \$50.00. Voted on and carried.

Moved by Miss Donovan and seconded by Miss Murphy that Miss K. Boyle be sent to Sackville, N.B., as the alumnae delegate to C. N. A. convention. Voted on and carried. Following which the meeting was adjourned.



Congratulations to the Sisters of St. Joseph, Pembroke, Ontario, on the opening of their new Hospital at Radville, Saskatchewan, on October 6, 1948. Rev. Mother Magdalene, a graduate of St. Michael's, is in charge. The Alumnae Association remembered her on this auspicious occasion by wiring her flowers. Our readers will be interested to know that four Sisters of the same community are now in training at St. Michael's. Sister Hedwig and Sister Jeanne will graduate next year, while Sister Marjorie and Sister Lois are in the preliminary class.

CONGRATULATIONS TO —

Sister de Sales, B.Sc., St. Louis University.

Elizabeth Hornell, '47, B.Sc., Ottawa University.

Margaret H. MacDonald, '43, B.A., University of Toronto.



Sister Mercedes who on August 15th celebrated her Golden Jubilee in the Community of the Sisters of St. Joseph. Our members will remember that a few years ago Sister celebrated her Golden Jubilee as a Graduate of St. Michael's Hospital. Sister spent her happy day at St. Joseph's-on-the-Lake and the Alumnae joined in the rejoicing by sending Sister as a token of esteem and love five mass offerings and a bouquet of golden roses.

Our members will be very sorry to hear of the illness of Miss Griffin of Central Registry. Miss Griffin has always been most helpful in her contacts with St. Michael's Graduates and we are sure that you will be pleased to know that flowers have been sent her with your best wishes.

**BIRTHS**

BROOKS — To Dr. and Mrs. Edward F. Brooks (I. Noonan, '29), at St. Michael's Hospital, on August 28, 1948, a son.

ROWATT — Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rowatt (Leone Noecker, '39), announce the birth of their daughter, "Sheila Irene," on August 22nd, 1948.

GUEST — At Mountain Hamilton Hospital, Hamilton, Ont., on Sept. 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Guest (Kay McGowan, '33), a son, "Brian Alexander."

DARTE — Dr. and Mrs. John Darté announce the arrival of their daughter, "Frances Marie," at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, on Aug. 24, 1948.

HIGGINS — At St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Higgins (Marie Spratt, '28), the gift of a daughter, "Margaret Ann Bernice."

POWERS — Mr. and Mrs. James Powers (Ruth Watson, '44), announce the arrival of their daughter, at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, on September 10, 1948.

STEMP — At St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, on September 1, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. G. Stirling Stemp (Ethel MacMillan, '36), a son, "Peter Stirling."

COZZI — Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cozzi (Lydia Orlando, '38), announce the birth of their son, "Peter Brian," a brother for Paul, at St. Michael's Hospital, on August 13, 1948.

SPRATT — In Catherine Booth Hospital, Montreal, Que., on July 12, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Spratt (Mary Coffey, '32), a son.

MILSON — At St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, on Sept. 23, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Milson (Margaret Lovick, '37), a daughter.

FEE — On Sept. 4, 1948, at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Fee (Ann Hickey, '40), a daughter.

STARRS — At the Horace Harding Hospital, New York City, on August 14, to Mr. and Mrs. James Robert Starrs (Vera Boothe, '41), a daughter, "Barbara Ann."

HOGAN — At St. John's, Newfoundland, on May 9, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Hogan (Mary Holden, '36), the gift of a daughter, "Mary Therese," a sister for Billie and Pat.

WALSH — To Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Walsh (Mary Delaplante, '43), on October 7, 1948, at St. Michael's Hospital, a son.

HUTCHISON — On Sept. 14, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutchison (Irene Huntley, '42), a daughter, at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

ROBERTSON — On Sept. 13, 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robertson (Glenora Lee, '40), a daughter, at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

EANSOR — At Hotel Dieu, Windsor, Ont., to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Eansor (Iola Scully, '42), a son.

HUSSON — Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Husson (Teresa Clarke, '38), announce the birth of a sister, "Mary Catherine," for Billie and Bobbie, on Oct. 1, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto.

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NEW APPOINTMENTS

Sister Louise has been appointed Superior and Superintendent of St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto. We need not say how much Sister Louise will be missed by our members for she has been a friend to all of us. As Bursar and later as Assistant Superior and Assistant Superintendent many problems were ironed out by her, always to the betterment of nursing conditions and with the real interest of the nurses at heart. Our thoughts go with her realizing the added responsibilities she carries in her new position. As a token of appreciation and respect, a small traveling clock was presented to Sister on behalf of the members of the Alumnae.

Sister Maura, who succeeded Sister Louise as Bursar in 1945, is now Assistant Superior and Assistant Superintendent. Our best wishes are with her in her new position.



HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

Sister Florian is now in charge of Out Patients' Department.

Sister Stanislaus has been transferred from St. Joseph's Hospital, Winnipeg, to Our Lady of Mercy Hospital, Toronto.

Sister Evangelista has been transferred from St. Joseph's Hospital, Comox, to St. Joseph's Hospital, Winnipeg.

Sister Marion has been transferred to St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto, where she is in charge of the Operating Room.

Sister St. Albert is now in charge of 4 D.

Sister Berniece is in charge of the Emergency Department.

Sister Loretto is now in charge of 3 B.

Sister Helen Marie is now in charge of 3 C.

Sister de Sales has returned from St. Louis with her brand new degree and is Nursing Arts Instructress at St. Michael's.

Sister St. Neilus is now Nursing Arts Instructress at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto.

RESIGNATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

Helen Keaney who has been on the staff of the St. Elizabeth Visiting Nurses for the past twenty-two years has resigned from the staff and is now doing general duty at Our Lady of Mercy Hospital.

Bernadine Snider has joined the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterboro.

Ann Dolcini, '45, is now Supt. of Alamosa Hospital, Alamosa, Colorado.

Margaret McGarrell, '38, has resigned from the Clinical Supervision staff of the Toronto General Hospital to accept an appointment as Nursing Arts Instructress at Ottawa Civic Hospital.

Genevieve Donovan has resigned from the teaching staff at St. Michael's and is now with Yorkville District of the Toronto Health Dept. Betty McKenna, formerly with the V. O. N. in Toronto, has joined the teaching staff at St. Michael's.



PUBLIC HEALTH

Miss Margaret Sherman who has been with the Health Service Dept. of St. Michael's Hospital for thirteen years has been appointed to Runnymede Collegiate by the Dept. of Health.

Miss Sherman was outstanding in her work at St. Michael's and will be much missed by the staff and patients.

A farewell tea was given in her honour in the Out Patient Department, and Miss Florence Conlin entertained at her home at the tea hour, at which time a Parker 51 was given to Miss Sherman by her associates at the Hospital. Catherine McGuinness, '21, has taken over Miss Sherman's work.



Esme Murphy is now Senior Public Health Nurse with the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, Health Unit. Esme completed her Advanced Course in Public Health at the University of Toronto in June.

Lucille Bonin of the Toronto Health Dept. is now a member of East End Division.

Lucille Riley has resigned from the Leeds and Grenville Health Unit.

Mrs. L. T. LeMay (Betts Marchand) has joined the Simcoe County Health Unit.

Elaine Hopkins has joined the staff of the Victorian Order of Nurses, Toronto.

Marie Evers is now with the Dept. of Health, Toronto.

Joan Hope has been awarded a scholarship in public health nursing by the St. Elizabeth Visiting Nurses. Joan is taking her course at the University of Toronto.

Gwen Ferguson has joined the staff of the Toronto Dept. of Health.

Stella Goodrow, Marjorie Shepherd and Frances Sylvain are now on the staff of St. Elizabeth Visiting Nurses.

Lina Costa is now a staff member of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Health Unit.



ENGAGEMENTS

Margaret Moore, '46, to Edward O'Brien.

Monica Crook, '47, to Andrew Morris.

Elizabeth Leslie, '47, to Thomas Hills.



ON VACATION

Lulu Marrin of Detroit, Michigan, spent her vacation in Toronto and at Lake Simcoe.

Gladys Gannon chose Haliburton as her vacation spot.

Adele Johnston flew to Calgary for her vacation. Alberta Benninger was the stewardess on the plane.

Bernetta McLaughlin was a recent visitor to New York City.

Julia O'Connor and Florence Hall visited the Martyrs' Shrine in Midland.

Mary Stanton enjoyed a holiday recently in Hawkstone.

Summer visitors from New York included Margaret McEvoy, Elizabeth McKinnon and Bertha Gibbons.

Mary Hughes vacationed in New York and while there visited Hyde Park, the famous estate of the late President Roosevelt. Mary was very happy to meet Mrs. Roosevelt at that time and reports her as "charming."

Florence O'Reilly spent the month of August in Huntsville.

Elma Purtle and Helen O'Sullivan enjoyed the Lake Cruise to Duluth.

Cele Hynes spent the summer in Muskoka.

Mary Theobald spent the summer at her home in Peterboro, Ont.

Audrey Kearns and Rosella Grogan vacationed in Waubaushene.

Atlantic City was the holiday chosen by M. Dillon, M. Donohue and K. Wise.

Marjorie Larkin spent her holidays up North.

Velma Burbidge of Glen Falls, N. Y., vacationed with her relatives here.

Mrs. T. Stahre (Barbara Rose) of California, visited here recently.

Philomena O'Boyle visited Brechin during the holiday season.

Mrs. Chas. Fletcher (Irene Gaudette) spent her holidays at Moncton and St. John, N.B., visiting relatives.

Ethel Crocker spent two weeks with friends in Niagara Falls, Ont., and later holidayed in Beaverton, Ont.

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Highlights from the Canadian Nurses' Association

BIENNIAL MEETING —

The 24th annual convention of the Canadian Nurses' Association was held at Mount Allison University, at Sackville, N.B., from June 28 to July 1st. Approximately 700 nurses from all parts of Canada were in attendance, as well as 40 student nurses. Many of the nurses were from considerable distance and it constituted one of the largest meetings on record.

Sackville is situated on the famous coast marshlands and is a small university town with two sustaining industries. To say the nurses took over the town is to put it mildly! Mount Allison is old in tradition and offered a quiet, learned setting for the serious deliberations of the meeting. The campus was alive with nurses flitting from building to building and with the habits of the many religious orders. All those attending lived in the three main residences, and I must say the nurses enjoyed it. It seemed like being in training again, up with the rising bell at 7 a.m. punctual for meals, which were cafeteria style and excellent. At night one could hear muffled laughter and vain "shushes" and everyone worked out their own bathroom routine.

GREETINGS —

Greetings and words of welcome were tendered at the first session, by the Lieut. Governor of New Brunswick; the Mayor of Sackville, the President of the University; President of the Board of Regents of the University; the President of the New Brunswick Association of Registered Nurses, and greetings were received from the Hon. Prime Minister, Mackenzie King; from the Hon. Minister of Health, Paul Martin, and from the American Nurses' Association, extended by Miss Janet Geister, First Vice President of that organization.

ENTERTAINMENT —

New Brunswick hospitality seemed to have no limits. Everything was done to leave the delegates with very pleasant memories of the province by the sea. Arrangements included a Tea and Reception sponsored by the N.B. R.N.A.; a special convocation of Mount Allison University at which Miss Ethel Johns received the Honorary LL.D. degree; a bus trip along some 100 miles of N.B. coast line and a banquet at which the Mary Agnes Snively lecture was delivered by Dr. E. P. Scarlett of Calgary, Alta.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS —

The meetings were presided over by Miss Rae Chittick of Calgary, Alberta, President. She took as her theme "Let us take pride in 'our craft'" — and urged (1) gradual re-organization of the education of nurses; (2) A national nursing survey to determine where emphasis should be placed in the recruitment, education, and employment of nurses; (3) A concerted drive by the public and our organization for larger and more diverse assisting staffs in hospitals; (4) a continued program for the improvement of working conditions for nurses; (5) A division of nursing in the Department of National Health and Welfare to assist the provincial health departments and provincial and national associations of nurses to give the best possible nursing service to Canada, and (6) a well organized and informative public relations program.

PAPERS PRESENTED —

Several fine addresses were given during the convention which gave much food for thought for the attending delegates. These are to be found in the September issue of the Canadian Nurse. I would urge you to read these. Outstanding were "The Nurse Seeks the University," by Ethel Johns; "Some International Aspects of Nursing," by Bethina A. Bennett, O.B.E. Mrs. Bennett is chief nursing officer with the British Ministry of Labor and made the trip by plane to present her paper; "Supervision" by Nellie Gorgas, Administrator at St. Barnabas Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn., and "American Nurses' Association Public Relations Program," by Leon Dorais of the Edward L. Bernays Organization, New York City. The Mary Agnes Snively Lecture by Dr. E. P. Scarlett, M.B., F.R.C.P., entitled "The Ram's Horn" was enthusiastically received.

BIENNIAL REPORTS —

Every registrant was supplied with comprehensive reports and the remainder were printed in the June issue of the Canadian Nurse, so that all could be familiar with them and it saved time at the business sessions. Of special interest I quote a few items of interest —

(1) The proposal asking the Federal Government to create a division of nursing within the Department of National Health and Welfare.

(2) The Kellogg Foundation has financed a three year survey of the use and misuse of public health personnel.

(3) The Canadian Nurses' Association has promised to double the fee to the International Council of Nurses. This and other important projects now under way leaves the Association with a deficit which must be met with Provincial fees. It would therefore seem that it may well be necessary to ask the Provinces to increase their fee. All nurses were asked to stress this and support it in their own Association.

(4) It was decided to investigate the bringing of D. P. nurses to Canada.

(5) Permission was given the Canadian Nurse executive to inaugurate the contributory employee superannuation plan: i.e., 5% salary contribution by both employee and employer with the employee allowed to build up the fund with voluntary contributions.

(6) It was decided that at present a Public Relations Project was not feasible due to the expenditure involved although all present agreed that it was a vital and necessary need at the moment.

(7) Miss Fidler's report of the Experimental School at Windsor was well received. There were 332 enquiries, 72 applications and 13 were accepted. Affiliation includes nursing in Tuberculosis, Paediatrics, Public Health and Psychiatry. The total cost to the student is between \$250 and \$300 which includes travelling expenses for the above. Illness is taken care of under the Blue Cross plan. The applicants to be eligible must have had their Secondary School Diploma, be 18 years of age and of good health and personality.

WORKSHOPS —

The Workshops were a new feature of the Convention. Everyone had originally registered for the Workshops of their choice. Each had a specialist in charge and problems were selected for discussion each day. About forty were in each Workshop. These divided up into groups of eight and discussing and exchanging ideas and meeting with the entire group for the last half hour to pool results. It was surprising to see the general trend and unanimity of thought that the various groups produced when the total discussion was synopsized.

NEW OFFICERS and NEXT MEETING —

Elections and installation of officers took place at the last session. Miss Ethel Cryderman of Toronto is the new president. Miss Evelyn Mallory of the Faculty of University of British Columbia, Vice-President.

The next biennial will be held in Vancouver, B. C., in 1950.

For a stimulus to nursing, I recommend a C. N. A. meeting. My sincere thanks for choosing me your delegate. I hope that many of you will plan your summer vacation around the 1950 meeting. Make your slogan — Vancouver in 1950.

Kathleen M. Boyle



WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

Mrs. Carmie Warren, entertained the executive members of St. Michael's Hospital Women's Auxiliary at tea. Mrs. J. L. Jerome, president, was in the chair. Mrs. F. McInnis, consented to lend her home for an "after five" party to be held, Saturday, October 23rd. Mrs. C. F. Wheaton will be in charge of the tea room, and Mrs. Wm. Apted will convene the mystery table. Mrs. D. A. Duckworth, ways and means convener, will be general chairman, assisted by Mrs. Hagar Hetherington, Mrs. Leo Killoran, Mrs. J. J. Brennan, Mrs. Frank O'Leary, and other committee members. New officers appointed included, Mrs. Frank McInnis, vice-president; Mrs. J. J. Brennan, membership; Mrs. Clair F. Day, layettes and Mrs. Dudley Thomas, publicity.



FEATURING OUR PEMBROKE MEMBERS

Mrs. R. C. (Morrissey) Buist — 403 McKay St.

Mrs. W. (Mulcahy) Campbell — Box 157.

Mrs. John (Taylor) Mulcahy — Box 157.

Margaret Egan — 518 Mary St.

Mrs. G. E. (Panke) Roaflaub — 126 Pembroke Street West.

Margaret Tanney — 380 Moffat Street.



FEATURING OUR HAMILTON MEMBERS

Mrs. Alex (Kraft) Riddell — 252 James St. S.

Mrs. T. (MacDonald) McConnachie — Staff House, Mountain Sanatorium.

Mrs. Josephine (Kelly) Hawker — Apt. 3, 3 Sterling Stret.

Mrs. Margaret (Murphy) Sanderson — 316 Aberdeen Avenue, Apartment 9.



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UNDERGRADUATE NEWS

The Fall is always a busy time in Residence as it ushers in the beginning of lectures, the advent of the new probies and the end of summer vacation and activities. The following are some of the highlights of our Fall season:

Aug. 31—Arrival of the preliminary students.

Sep. 27—The first Sodality Meeting of the new season.

Sep. 28—Annual Trip to the Filtration Plant.

Sep. 28—Preliminary Students Initiation and Party on the Roof.

Oct. 3—Attendance at the Rosary Holy Hour.

Oct. 5—Hike and picnic to Dawes Road Farm

Oct. 7—Sight-seeing Tour to the Canadian Bank of Commerce Tower.

Oct. 12—Trip to Silverwood's Dairy and Donalda Farm.

HISTORY REPEATING AMONG THE PRELIMINARY STUDENTS

Alice McDowell is a daughter of Loretto Gignac McDowell — class of 1918; four sisters of former graduates are in the new group — Kathleen Moore, sister of Marilyn, '48; Teresa Rashotte, sister of Helen, '46; Margaret Sauve, sister of Blanche, '48; and Ann Trukan, sister of Violet, '48. Estelle Whalen is a niece of Eileen Whalen Burns, '33; Mary Louise McRae is a daughter of Dr. J. McRae, a member of St. Michael's Hospital Staff; Margaret Dunn is a sister of Dr. A. Dunn, former interne at St. Michael's; Kathleen McLaughlin is a cousin of Cele O'Donnell Finnegan, '32. Ann Kinlin is a cousin of Loretta DeMarsh Yanch, '46, and Barbara Evans a relative of Frances Wilkes Evans, '32. There are three Sisters of St. Joseph in the new group, Sister St. Thomas of the Toronto Community and Sister M. Lois and Sister M. Marjorie of the Pembroke Community.

December 14th is the date
Come to the meeting and don't be late.
There'll be a prize, a speaker too;
Many friendships you can renew.
A cup of tea, for you to share
And the Xmas Spirit everywhere.

ALUMNAE MEETING

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1948

NURSES' RESIDENCE

8 P. M. SHARP





In Memoriam

SISTER M. FELICITA GRACE

On Wednesday, June 16, 1948, Sister M. Felicita Grace died at the Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square, St. John's, Newfoundland. The deceased Sister was a native of Placentia, where she was educated by the Presentation Sisters. On the completion of her high school studies she taught for a few years in one of the schools at Placentia after which she entered the Novitiate of the Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square, St. John's, Newfoundland, January, 1929, by which step she consecrated her talents more entirely to God in the noble profession of teaching. After her Profession as a Presentation Sister in 1931, she was transferred to Presentation Convent, St. Patrick's, where she taught for one year following which she continued her labors as a teacher at Corner Brook. In 1935 she entered training at the Nursing-School of St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, from which she graduated in 1938. She then devoted herself to the service of the sick in her community at Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square, besides carrying out certain duties in the classroom. This young life so full of promise was not destined by God for a long service in His vineyard. A fatal disease, which medical science was not able to arrest, caused her to relinquish gradually her duties both in the classroom and in the Infirmary so that for the past two years her life was filled with suffering patiently borne. As the end of her sojourn on earth was drawing to a close she was fortified by all the rites of Holy Mother Church. Purified by suffering she gladly gave up her soul to God on the morning of June 16th.

To her sister, Mrs. N. Beiro, Virginia, U.S.A.; to her brothers, Messrs. E. and J. Grace, Corner Brook, to Messrs. L. and M. Grace, Canada; to her niece, Sister M. Bruno, Indiana; and to all relatives sincere condolence is extended as well as to all the members of the community.

Requiescat in pace!

CLARE GOODWIN, 1911

Death came suddenly for Miss Clare Goodwin at Providence Hospital, Moose Jaw, on August 27th, 1948. The deceased was born in Picton, Ontario, some sixty-three years ago, her parents being the late Michael Goodwin and Esther McEvoy. After attending Grade School and Business College, Miss Goodwin worked as a stenographer in Toronto for a short time. She graduated from St. Michael's Hospital in 1911 and took Post-Graduate training in New York City. For a time, she worked at Long Island, but then went to California, where she did private nursing for ten years, particularly in Los Angeles and Anaheim. In 1924 and 1925, she held the position of Assistant Superintendent at Scripps' Memorial Hospital, La Jolla.

In 1925, Miss Goodwin returned to Toronto, where she again engaged in private nursing. In 1946-47, she took a position at Mercy Hospital, where she was engaged in floor and special duty. In September, 1947, the deceased was employed at Providence Hospital, Moose Jaw, in the Nurses' Residence, until July of this year. She died suddenly, as a result of an embolism.

The Funeral Mass was sung at St. Ann's Church, by Reverend P. B. Brennan, S.J., a cousin of the deceased. Present in the sanctuary were Reverend Fathers Egan, Pastor, and J. Broderick, S.J., of London, England. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Miss Goodwin leaves to mourn her loss, a brother, Mr. A. Goodwin of Toronto; a sister, Mrs. G. Landry of Moose Jaw, Sask., and a niece, Sister Mary Marcia of the Sisters of Providence, Winnipeg. Several nieces and nephews also reside in Toronto. To these, the Alumnae extend sincere sympathy. — R. I. P.

† IN MEMORIAM †

The death occurred on September 7th, 1948, of Lenore Bowie of the class of 1927. Lenore had worked for some years in New York City. The sincere sympathy of the Alumnae is offered to her sister and many friends.

ANDRE DEGUIRE PALMER, '33

Mrs. Louis Palmer (Andre Deguire, 1933), died suddenly at the Red Cross Hospital, Espanola, on August 3rd. She was predeceased by her former husband, Doctor Romeo Gareau six years ago. In June, 1947, she was married to Louis Palmer, who is left to mourn her loss with three children of her previous marriage, Paul, Yvette, and Jacques. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Deguire, also survive, as well as five sisters. The high esteem in which Andre was held was expressed in the profusion of mass cards and floral tributes. She was well known throughout the district and at numerous hospitals. She was known for her charity and kindness in time of trouble and illness. We extend our sincere sympathy to her bereaved family and friends. — R. I. P.

DR. W. J. O'HARA

His Eminence Cardinal McGuigan and the Hon. Ray Lawson, Lieut. Governor of Ontario were among the many who attended the solemn requiem Mass in St. Joseph's Church, Toronto, for the funeral of the late Dr. Wm. Joseph O'Hara, M. D., who died suddenly at his home. Dr. O'Hara was well known to everyone at St. Michael's and as a physician and surgeon stood high in his profession. He was particularly known and admired for his generous and devoted care of poor patients. He was chief surgeon at Our Lady of Mercy Hospital at the time of his death and for many years had attended the patients at the House of Providence and other institutions.

Requiem Mass was celebrated by Msgr. Bench, P. P., with Father Clarkson as Deacon, and Father O'Grady as subdeacon. Cardinal McGuigan addressed the congregation at the end of Mass and spoke feelingly of those doctors like Dr. O'Hara who have a noble conception of their profession as a vocation of service to the poor and suffering and exemplify the charity of Our Divine Saviour.

Dr. O'Hara was born at Hagersville, Ont., and graduated from the University of Toronto, in 1905. He was 67 years of age and was busy with his practice and other duties to the day of his death. Surviving him are his two sons, Dr. Peter O'Hara, surgeon on the staff of St. Michael's Hospital, and Dr. John O'Hara; and two daughters, Mrs. Jos. Crothers and Mrs. T. Hallam and a sister, Miss Agnes O'Hara. The active pall-bearers at the funeral were Dr. Smyrle Lawson; Austin Ross; George Keough; J. Crothers; E. Armour and H. Addison; Honorary pall-bearers were Dr. J. Robert; Dr. C. N. Mooney; Dr. A. C. Lockwood; Dr. Julian Loudon; Dr. J. Daly and H. Peters, Jr. — R. I. P.

We Extend Our Sympathy to - -

The members of the Alumnae extend their sympathy to the Gignac family, particularly Florence and Emma, in the loss of their father. The late Mr. Gignac was decorated by His Holiness the Pope for his work for the needy children of Europe after World War I. His was truly a life of public service. — R. I. P.

Sister Mary Anthony, whose nephew was drowned recently.

Sister Zephrianus in the recent loss of her brother.

Dr. and Mrs. P. P. Smyth (Agnes Murray, '18), on the loss of their son, Dr. Murray Smyth.

Ruth Foster, '48, whose father died recently.

Tillie Shanley, on the recent loss of her brother.

Mary Brown, whose brother died recently.

Marian Hill Kerr, '44, on the loss of her mother.

Mahala Phinney Arrundell, '44, on the death of her father.

Greta MacLean Bondy, '42, whose brother died recently.

Helen O'Sullivan and Helen Hyland, whose brother-in-law died recently.

Pauline Biehl Grimes, '35, whose mother died recently.

Margaret Loftus, '43, whose father died recently.

Florence Gignac, '27, and Emma Gignac Stone, '25, on the loss of their father.

Rose Bolger on the recent loss of her father.

Helen Lunn, '45, whose sister died recently.

Dr. Cliff Healey on the recent loss of his father.

Ann O'Leary, '47, on the death of her mother.

Madeline Gibbons, '29, on the recent death of her aunt.

TRAVELLERS



Lily Clegg spent an enjoyable holiday in Ottawa this Fall as the guest of Matron-in-Chief Dorothy Ballantine of the R.C.A.M.C. Permanent Force.

Mrs. Edna Woolinham (Edna Dyias) has returned to Canada from England where she has been for some years, and is now living in Sydney, N. S. One of her first visitors was Mary Brown, who had a delightful trip and lovely visit.

M. Dwyer Johnson, '28, who visited during the summer has returned to her home in Bogota, Colombia, South America.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Fowlie (Ruby Price), after a trip to the West Coast, are sailing for England.

Kathleen Walsh Kirk, '34, visited here during the summer from New York City.

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WEDDINGS



MacDONALD - THOMAS — On July 15, 1948, in Preston, Ontario, Helen Thomas, '46, to Kenneth MacDonald.

JOHNSTON - MURPHY — In St. John's Chapel, St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, on July 12, 1948, Elizabeth Murphy, '46, to Gilbert Johnston. Rev. Father Courtmanche officiated.

CAMPBELL - McDEVITT — In St. John's Chapel of Saint Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, Nora McDevitt, '40, to William Campbell.

CALLAGHAN - HANNON — In St. Monica's Church, Toronto, on July 29, 1948, Margaret Hannon, '47, to Joseph Claire Callaghan. Rev. Father Bolger officiated.

NEIL - SCHARBACH — In Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Toronto, on Saturday, September 11, 1948, at 10 o'clock, by the Rev. Father J. T. Mahoney, Valerie Alma Scharback, '41, to Orval N. Neil.

JESSUP - BATTE — In St. Peter's Church, Toronto, on August 27, 1948, Loretta Batte, '47, to James Michael Jessup.

O'GRADY - COONEY — On Saturday, September 11, 1948, at 9:30 a.m., in Blessed Sacrament Church, Toronto, by Rev. Father McGinn, Blanche Anne Cooney to Joseph O'Grady.

DANDY - MIRON — On October 9, 1948, in St. Alphonsus Church, Windsor, Ontario, Yvonne Miron, '47, to Charles Michael Dandy.

BOND - KENNEDY — In St. Clare's Church, Windsor, Ont., on August 7, 1948, Elizabeth Kennedy, '45, to John Richard Bond.

GRAHAM - MOTHERSILL — In Oshawa, Ont., on May 8, 1948, Eleanor Mothersill, '44, to Chas. E. Graham.

BOYLE - WALL — The Rt. Rev. Hugh J. Callahan officiated at the marriage of Monica Mary Wall to James Kenneth Boyle, in Blessed Sacrament Church, Toronto, on August 14, 1948.

STEELE - STACKOFF — On August 21, 1948, in St. Stanislaus Church, Toronto, Stella Stackoff, '46, to Allan Steele.

HOGAN - BYRNES — Rev. Father M. Flannery officiated at the marriage of Kathleen Byrnes to B. Hogan in Phelpston, Ontario.

FOWLIE - PRICE — In the Deer Park Church Chapel, by the Rev. M. C. Tate, Ruby Price, '28, to Patrick M. Fowlie, on August 10, 1948.

SMITH - CORBETT — In Toronto, Elizabeth Corbett, '46, to William Smith.

MacVICAR - VANDEBELT — On July 31, 1948, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Toronto, Oneta P. Vandebelt, '45, to John Anthony MacVicar. Rev. James Noonan officiated.

CONNOLLY - McGAHEY — In September, 1948, Clare Connolly to Dr. Celestin McGahey, of Iroquois, Ontario.

MONAN - McMULLEN — In Christ Church Chapel, Deer Park, Toronto, on August 21, 1948, Vera McMullen, '32, to George Monan. The happy couple are residing in Malton, Ont.

McCULLOCH - BARLOW — On September 14, 1948, in St. Philip's Anglican Church, Vancouver, B.C., Ruth Isobel Barlow, '46, to Thomas Alexander McCulloch. The Rev. H. J. Greig officiated.

WAGGONER - MEYERS — On Saturday, Sept. 18, 1948, at 10 o'clock, in Blessed Sacrament Church, Toronto, Eleanor Joan Meyers, '47, to Joseph Bradley Waggoner.

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CENTENARY ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL**1848 - 1948**

St. Michael's Cathedral has always seemed a part of our Hospital due to our contacts during training and later with our annual Memorial and Rededication Service, so we felt that you would be interested in the following account of the Cathedral contributed by Rev. Chas. E. Lanthier who is preparing a pamphlet commemorating the Centenary of the Cathedral.

Today in special manner this great Cathedral holds the focus of attention, for within these very walls, a special Solemn High Mass of Thanksgiving is offered to God, to commemorate the centenary of its Consecration. It was consecrated on September 29th, 1848.

Few English Catholic churches on this continent, save perhaps St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York, have as fascinating an appeal and history, as has St. Michael's Cathedral. Travellers from great distances come to Toronto constantly to visit this ancient edifice of Gothic beauty, which like St. Patrick's, is now also the seat of a Cardinal See, and like it also, was largely built by the pennies of the poor. When Bishop Power, Toronto's first bishop bought the land, it was literally a corn field, a market garden; today it is the very heart of downtown Toronto. Bishop Power who is buried under the Cathedral died a victim of typhus fever, contracted in answer to a middle-of-the-night sick-call, which then raged among the immigrants.

When Bishop Power laid the cornerstone of this Cathedral he chose the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Most Pure Heart of Mary as the first and second patrons of this Archdiocese, perhaps the first in the entire world so dedicated and his third dedication made on that day, was to place the city of Toronto under the patronage and care of the Great Archangel St. Michael.

St. Michael's Cathedral has been the scene of many wonderful religious ceremonies and events during the past century; many archbishops and bishops have been consecrated here and even this past summer two Ukrainian Bishops or Exarchs were consecrated in its sanctuary with all the colorful splendor of the Oriental Rite; only last

Wednesday, September 29, 1948,, Bishop Kenneth R. Turner, first Bishop of the Scarboro Foreign Mission Society, was consecrated by His Eminence James Cardinal McGuigan, as first Bishop of the ecclesiastical Province of Lishui, China. No ceremony, however, in all its eventful history equalled the reception and liturgical function that marked the homecoming of Canada's first English-speaking Cardinal, His Eminence, James Charles McGuigan, who was created a Prince of the Church on February 18th, 1946.

**VISITORS**

When we come to town we like to drop in at St. Michael's to visit with the Sisters and renew old acquaintances. Among those who dropped in recently were Marjorie Doherty Powers of Niagara Falls, Ont., Margaret Corr Quinn, '30, and small son from Long Island, N. Y.; Aurela Gaudet of Dearborn, Mich.; Harriet McMahon and Edith Baldwin; Jean George Harrington of Oakland, California; Nora O'Leary Murphy, Winnipeg, and Mrs. T. Stahre of California.

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ON THE MOVE

Mrs. R. M. Arrundell (Mahalda Phinney, '44) who has been living in Trinidad has moved to 2521 South Calhoun, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

ON THE SICK LIST

Our best wishes for a speedy return to health is extended to those who have been ill recently, including Sister Albertine, Louise Harkins, Evelyn Smith Huether, Adele Johnston, Kathleen Cooney, and Lydia Regan. All our members will be very sorry to hear that Miss Regan while on a visit to her sister in London was so unfortunate as to fall and suffered a fractured hip. She is at present in St. Joseph's Hospital, London.

Ella M. Chalue is a patient in Hospital at Penetang.

Mary Murphy Strang is well enough to leave Sanatorium and is home again. This is good news for all members.

M. Loftus of the Record Room staff is recovering from an appendectomy.

Pat Kelly is a patient in Hospital just now.



ATTENDING UNIVERSITY

Sister Mary Brigid and Sister Marie Antoinette are attending the University School of Nursing.

Elizabeth Gillis, '45, has been awarded a Dept. of Health Bursary for the coming academic year.

Marie McGarry is taking the course in Public Health Nursing at the U. of T.

Clara Bast Cranston, '40, is now residing at 28 Warden Street, Wexford, Ont.

Mrs. Evelyn Clarke (O'Donnell) may now be found at 118 Collier St., Barrie, Ont.

Sue Hunt Paye is now living at 311 Esart Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

Lydia Lustig is now residing in Chesley, Ont.

Dorothy Callaghan Pratt is now living in Metcalfe, Ontario.

Mrs. F. H. Walker (Mae Boyle, '33) is now living in Bobcaygeon, Ont.

Mrs. Murray McCaffery (Bea Gough) has a new address, it is now 417 Riverside, Calgary, Alberta. Call her up if in that Western City.

Mrs. John Mulligan (Agnes Brennan, '38) has returned to Toronto and taken up residence here.

Doreen Foy and Mary Beattie may be reached at the Nurses' Residence, Hoff Heights, Santa Barbara, California.

C. Lyttle Cowan is now living in Beaverton, Ontario.



HELP WANTED!

The July issue of the News was returned from the following addresses—

Aileen Riordan — 4892 Papineau Avenue, Montreal, Quebec.

Mrs. Mabel Kennedy — Apartment 3, 445 King Street, West, Hamilton, Ont.

Mrs. Doreen Spall — 1118 Avenue Road, Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. M. Sanderson — 316 Aberdeen Avenue, Hamilton, Ont.

Mrs. G. T. Corlett — 2851 Dufferin Street, Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. Jno. O'Connor — 74 Jedburgh Road.

Mrs. W. Clifford — 228 Melville Avenue, Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. M. Allen — Grand Yellowknife Gold Mine, Yellowknife, N. W. T.

These are the only addresses we have — will you notify us if you can furnish any of the above?



MARRIAGE LECTURES TO BE REPEATED

The series of lectures on marriage under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League and the Holy Name Society will be repeated again this year. The lectures will be given in Newman Hall, 89 St. George Street, and will begin Tuesday, November 2nd, at 8 p.m. Six lectures will be given before Xmas and six after.

The lecturers will include the Most Rev. B. I. Webster, D.D., Rev. L. Barnett, Rev. E. MacGuigan, S.J., Rev. P. Mueller, S.M., Rev. J. Hochban, S.J., Rev. E. Sheridan, S.J., Dr. J. G. Dewan, Dr. F. O'Leary, Dr. G. Maloney and Mrs. Byrne Sanders.

The course is designed to give young married couples and those approaching marriage a clearer understanding of present day problems of marriage and the Catholic attitude towards them. The course is designed also to assist social workers, teachers, NURSES, and youth leaders in understanding and dealing with marriage problems.

HEAR YE!



A refresher course for graduate nurses is being conducted by the Central Registry of Graduate nurses, Toronto.

The following is the series of lectures:—

AFTERNOON LECTURES — 1-2 p.m.

EVENING LECTURES — 8:30-9:30 p.m.

October 13 — Dr. A. T. Jousse
Treatment and Rehabilitation in Paraplegia

October 20 — Miss Marie Pilon, Reg. N.
Nursing Care of Paraplegic Patients

October 27 — Dr. F. G. Kergin
Recent Advances in Thoracic Surgery

November 3 — Miss Edith R. Eldridge, Reg. N.
Nursing Technique in Thoracic Surgery

November 10 — Dr. A. W. Farmer
Recent Advances in Orthopedic and Plastic Surgery

November 17 — Miss Nora Boulton, Reg. N.
Nursing Technique in Orthopedic and Plastic Surgery

Auditorium, College of Education
371 Bloor Street West

ATTENTION — Re Graduate Nurses' Retreat

A Retreat for Graduate Nurses' has been arranged by the Sisters of the Convent of the Cenacle, 318 Lawrence Avenue East.

DATE — Starting Friday, October 29th, at 6 p.m. Closing Sunday, October 31st, at 5 p.m.

Retreat Master — Rev. Joel Schevers (Carmelite Order from Niagara Falls).

Retreat Offering — \$7.00, this includes donation to the Retreat Master.

OUT OF TOWN LETTERS

South America

c/o Tropical Oil Co.,
Bogota, Colombia, Sept. 21, 1948

Dear Kay —

Greetings from Bogota. This long overdue note comes to tell you how much I enjoy receiving the "News." The July copy arrived in three weeks which was in exceptionally good time.

It's such a small world. Shortly after arriving here I met Margaret Dwyer Johnson, '28. I believe she is still enjoying her furlough at the moment in Toronto.

It was just a year ago that I arrived in Bogota. It hardly seems possible that I have been here so long. It has all been so new and so much has happened that it makes time fly. You no doubt, read of part of our experiences during the Rebellion, April 9th. An article written by my husband appeared in the May 15 Canadian Register. It is one of those things one prefers to forget. All seems calm again, but we still have curfew at 1 a.m.

Our weather compares with the Northern Fall the year around. The wet season is just around the corner. The amount of rainfall during this period regulates the shortages of water and electricity during the dry season which follows in the first few months of the year.

If all goes well we should come home on furlough at this time next year.

Best regards to my acquaintances at St. Michael's.

Very sincerely,
Marguerite Michaud Fromm, '35



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Dear Miss Murphy —

Once again I am out of hospital, and hope and pray this time to stay out. As you no doubt have heard, I had a right pneumonectomy, and am coming along very well. I still have some time to convalesce, but hope to be around and able to live a fairly, normal life, once I get adjusted to one lung.

I wish to thank you for having Miss Marg. Haggart, '35, visit me while I was in the Royal Edward Hospital. I certainly appreciated your thoughtfulness and enjoyed her visit. I also wish to thank you for the "News" and find it most interesting.

My regards to all at St. Michael's.
Sincerely,
Mary P. Strang (Mary Murphy, '36)

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HERE AND THERE

Sister St. Albert is now a member of the Executive of the Canadian Nurses' Association.

Marie Meehan, '37, is taking a post graduate course in Neuro-Surgery at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

Anarita McNamara, '38, formerly with Children's Aid Society, N. Y. City, is now on floor duty, 1 D.

M. Nealon, '23, is now on the staff of Christie St. Hospital.

A wedding of recent interest is that of Mrs. Wilfred Roache (Gertrude Heck's daughter) in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Toronto.

Catherine Hammall was among those who entertained for Blanche Cooney previous to her wedding.

Camilla Heffernan was nurse in charge at the Jack and Jill Camp, Caledon, Ont., for the summer months.

St. Michael's nurses were well represented at the Annual Rosary Sunday, held in Maple Leaf Stadium, Sunday afternoon, October 2nd.